

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF NOLIN RURAL)	
ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION)	
FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC)	CASE NO. 2004-00160
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY FOR)	
ITS 2003-2005 CONSTRUCTION WORK PLAN)	
THE APPLICATION OF NOLIN RURAL)	
ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION)	
FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE)	CASE NO. 2004-00184
AND NECESSITY FOR ITS 2004-2005)	
AUTOMATIC METER READING PLAN)	

O R D E R

On May 6, 2004, Nolin Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation (“Nolin”) tendered for filing an application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to proceed with the projects set forth in its 2003-2005 Construction Work Plan (“2-Year Work Plan”). This application, which was docketed as Case No. 2004-00160, includes over \$2 million for the installation of an automatic meter reading system. On May 20, 2004, Nolin filed a document titled, “2004-2005 Automatic Meter Reading Plan” (“AMR Plan”) which was assigned Case No. 2004-00184.

Based on a review of Nolin’s 2-Year Work Plan and its AMR Plan, and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that the AMR Plan is properly part of and should be considered in conjunction with the 2-Year Work Plan. Consequently, the Commission will incorporate Nolin’s AMR Plan filing with its 2-Year Work Plan and review both filings in Case No. 2004-00160.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

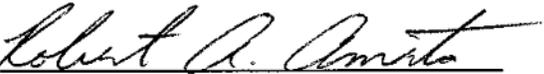
1. Nolin's AMR Plan, which was docketed as Case No. 2004-00184, is incorporated into its application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for its 2-Year Work Plan, Case No. 2004-00160.

2. Any further documents or correspondence relating to Nolin's AMR Plan shall be filed in Case No. 2004-00160; Case No. 2004-00184 is closed and is removed from the Commission's docket.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 4th day of June, 2004.

By the Commission

ATTEST:


DEPUTY Executive Director

Case No. 2004-00160
Case No. 2004-00184